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Subject: Your application for access to documents – GESTDEM 2021/4244 and GESTDEM 2021/4396

Dear Ms Verheecke,

We refer to your e-mails of 28 June 2021 in which you make requests for access to documents, registered on the same day under the above-mentioned reference numbers.

You request access to: "All documentation (including but not limited to all email correspondence, attendance lists, agendas, background papers, transcripts and recordings) AND the meeting minutes/notes relating to the meeting between Thierry Breton/Fabrice Comptour and NXP on 4th May 2021 on the alliance in microelectronics".

We regret to inform you that the DG GROW does not hold any documents that would correspond to the description given in your application.

As specified in Article 2(3) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, the right of access as defined in that regulation applies only to existing documents in the possession of the institution.

Given that no such documents, corresponding to the description given in your application, are held by DG GROW, we are not in a position to fulfil your requests.

In case you would disagree with this position, you are entitled, in accordance with Article 7(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001, to submit a confirmatory application requesting the Commission to review this position.

Such a confirmatory application should be addressed within 15 working days upon receipt of this letter to the Secretariat-General of the Commission at the following address:

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Sincerely yours,

Electronically signed

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